

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. An isolated polypeptide comprising amino acid residues 23-319 of SEQ ID NO:2.
2. The isolated polypeptide of claim 1 wherein the polypeptide comprises SEQ ID NO:2.
3. The isolated polypeptide of claim 1 wherein the polypeptide is SEQ ID NO:2.
4. The isolated polypeptide of claim 1 wherein the polypeptide further comprises a detectable label.
5. The isolated polypeptide of claim 1 wherein the polypeptide further comprises an affinity tag.
6. A composition comprising:
an isolated polypeptide comprising amino acid residues 23-319 of SEQ ID NO:2; and
a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
7. The composition of claim 6 wherein composition comprises an oligomerized complex of the polypeptide.
8. The composition of claim 7 wherein the oligomerized complex comprises at least one trimer of the polypeptide.
9. The composition of claim 7 wherein the polypeptide is a trimer.